

DAUGHTER HID SUICIDE WEAPON

Henry L. Maxcy Blew Out His Brains, but Widow Asserts that Ship Broker's Manager Died from Heart Failure.

REPUTED A RICH MAN—
MUCH MYSTERY IN CASE.

Girl Concealed Revolver to Spare Feelings of Mrs. Maxcy—Illness Assigned as Cause for the Man's Act.

Mystery surrounds the death of Henry L. Maxcy, aged forty-five years, of No. 1208 Beverly Road, Flatbush, found in his bed to-day with a bullet hole through his head, and a revolver clutched in his right hand. Members of the family deny that there was any cause for suicide.

No. 1208 is a Queen Anne villa in a fashionable neighborhood, and Mr. Maxcy was reputed to be wealthy. He was manager for Alfred H. Post & Co., shipping brokers, of No. 8 Bridge street, Manhattan.

The family rise early. While Mrs. Maxcy was directing the preparations of breakfast at 6 o'clock she sent her nineteen-year-old daughter Alice to call the head of the household. Mr. Maxcy's apartments are upon the third floor of the villa.

The young woman, receiving no answer to her rapping, opened the door and found her father's body lying across the top of his bed. He was breathing. Blood was flowing from the wound in his head. When Dr. P. S. Kelle, of No. 210 East Eleventh street, arrived, Mr. Maxcy was dead.

An Evening World reporter called at the house and was admitted by a gray-haired woman who admitted that she was Mrs. Maxcy.

"My husband did not commit suicide," she said. "He died of heart failure. If the police insist in calling this a case of suicide I shall be with Mr. Maxcy before night."

"Why was the Coroner notified if he died a natural death?" was asked. "That, I cannot explain. There was no reason for all this disgrace. Mr. Maxcy and I were very happy."

Dr. Kelle said: "Mr. Maxcy died from the effects of a gunshot wound in the head. His daughter, Alice, believed, had the revolver in order to spare her mother, who refuses to believe that her husband shot himself. For weeks Mr. Maxcy had suffered from sciatica, and been greatly depressed."

Alfred H. Post said to an Evening World reporter: "My husband died from the effects of his physical ailment. He recently visited his old home in Maine, and returned with some improvement. Last year he was kept five months on the Pacific slope unable to walk, and I am convinced that he was driven insane from sciatica."

Mr. Maxcy was a member of the Maine bar, and had managed the New York office of A. H. Post & Co. and for four years previous was in charge of the Chicago branch.

RIDGWAY WAIVES EXAMINATION HERE

Attorney Obtains Order for Removal to Washington of Columbia Supply Co. Officers Indicted in Postal Frauds.

Accompanied by their counsel, ex-District Attorney Ridgway, Brooklyn, Isaac S. McGeehan and George H. Huntington, the two indicted officers of the Columbia Supply Company, to-day appeared before United States Commissioner Hitchcock in the Federal Building to answer to the indictments recently returned in Washington, D. C. They were charged with having conspired with one August W. Machen to defraud the Government through the sale of the large from boxes used by the Postal Department for mailing packages and papers.

After a consultation with Assistant United States District Attorney Wile, Attorney Ridgway said he had decided to make no demand for a formal examination in this district, but to permit his clients to be taken to Washington without further ceremony.

"The charge against my clients is so absurd upon its face," said the lawyer, "and our defense so perfect I have decided to waste no time in demanding examination here."

The two prisoners, accompanied by their lawyer, were then taken before United States District Court Judge Holt, where an order was signed authorizing their removal to the District of Columbia. The bail, fixed at \$5,000 each, was promptly furnished.

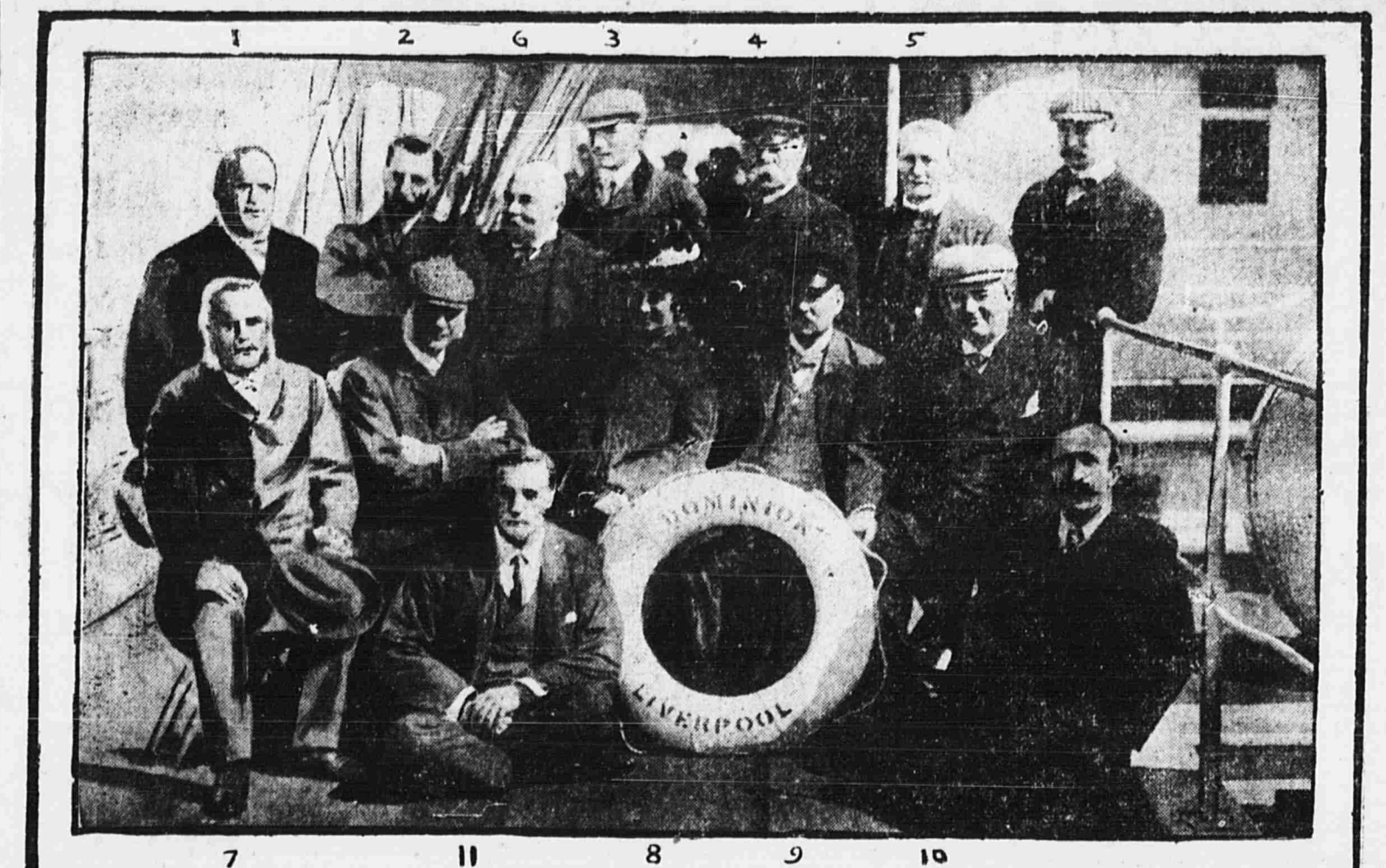
MORGAN'S OVERCOAT STOLEN

Thief Nabbed It While Financier Was at Episcopal Convention. Somewhere in the city this morning an unrepentant thief rejoiced in the possession of J. Pierpont Morgan's overcoat, the same having been stolen from the financier while he was attending the Protestant Episcopal Convention at which the Rev. Dr. David H. Greer was elected Moderator.

Mr. Morgan picked up an overcoat which he thought was his in the church, but on going through the pockets for his handkerchief discovered he had made a mistake. He returned the coat and then began a search for his own. It was gone and inquiries were made in the four months' sojourn in Europe. Tracing that time they have been in Germany, Belgium, Holland, Switzerland, and France.

Judge Stecker Home. Alfred Stecker, Mrs. Stecker's son, Alfred Stecker, Jr., returned home after a four months' sojourn in Europe. Tracing that time they have been in Germany, Belgium, Holland, Switzerland, and France.

DISTINGUISHED PARTY MAKING TOUR UNDER GUIDANCE OF ENGLISH NOBLEMAN, WHO ROUGHED IT OVER THE WORLD.



1—J. SUTCLIFF. 2—G. A. ALLEN. 3—CAPT. BRAUSCH. 4—CUMMINS M'DONA, M. P. 5—G. A. BRANPILLE. 6—G. DOUGHTY, M. P. 7—SIR EDWARD CLARKE. 8—MRS. SADLER. 9—COL. SADLER, M. P. 10—LORD LYVEDEN, M. P., Guide. 11—PERCIVAL CLARK.

FROM BOWERY TO HOUSE OF LORDS

All-Around Career of English Peer, Who Now Conducts a Party on Tour Through the United States.

A real English Baron, who has been a soldier, an actor, a waiter in a Bowery restaurant, a steward on an Atlantic liner, a ship's steward, a detective, and an inn-keeper, is at present in the city in charge of a distinguished party of English tourists who have just finished a tour of British Columbia.

His is Courtenay Robert Percy Vernon, third Baron Lyveden. He was the eldest son of the Hon. Courtenay John Vernon, rector of Grafton Underwood, Northamptonshire, who died on July 2, 1892. His brother, the second Baron Lyveden, died in 1901, and the present Baron succeeded to the title and an estate of 15,000 acres of land in Northamptonshire.

The present Baron Lyveden studied for the army, but flunked in his examinations for a commission, and then enlisted. After serving eight months he came to the United States and earned his living in various callings.

His Party of Visitors.

He occasionally conducts parties of tourists from England's aristocracy on trips to remote parts of the world and among the party he has just brought back from Canada are the following:

Lord and Lady Bray, Cumming Macdonald, M. P., a cousin of Henry D. Macdonald, the New York lawyer; Sir Edward Clarke, who was the British Solicitor-General in Lord Salisbury's second Cabinet, and the latter's son, Percival Clarke; George Doughty, M. P.; Col. S. A. Sadler, M. P. for Middleborough, and Mrs. Sadler, and G. A. Allen, Conservative Parliamentary candidate for Croydon.

It was before he succeeded to the title that Baron Lyveden did the things that would furnish material for several novels of adventure. He is a tall, well-built, good-looking chap with a nose of brigat, twinkling eyes and a pronounced English accent.

After failing in his examinations for a commission in the army, principally because he preferred the actual fighting to the perusal of books in which is set down the theoretical ideas of commanding an army, young Vernon enlisted in the Royal Artillery.

After serving eight months he determined to be an actor and bought his discharge. By strange chance he secured an engagement with the Bancrofts in London in 1882 and was cast for the part of Capt. Seabright, in "The Overland Route." He remained with the Bancrofts the following year and played Henry Beauchamp in "Diplomacy" and Tony Lumpkin in "The Stoops to Conquer."

At the end of his second season on the stage he acquired the "States fever," as he calls it, and came as a first cabin passenger to New York. He arrived here with \$20 in his pockets and by the end of his second day in the city he was broke. In telling his story, the Baron said:

"I found my way to the Bowery and looked about for a berth. I knew I saw a sign in the window of a cheap restaurant which said a waiter was wanted."

Lied Like a Gentleman. "I applied, and the man asked me if I had ever 'sung him.' I lied like a gentleman," said the Baron. "I knew all about it, and all that sort of thing. My stomach made me, y'know. I had a fearful appetite, and I was in an awful state of mind. I was slugging him like a waiter."

He tried to find the place since, but—bless me! The Bowery is so changed, y'know, that I couldn't do it. The men were all foreigners as to quality. If they were a bit in quality. For 15 cents one could get soup, beef and potatoes."

After his experiences as a waiter Vernon went back to England, and in a year was back in the States and landed at Charlotte, N. C., where he became a fisherman.

He lost his boat in a storm and then bought an interest in the leading hotel of the place. After a short experience as a hotel-keeper he went back to England and shipped as a steward on a mail steamer, the Nile, running to South America. He saved a few dollars and scrubbed staterooms like a Hindu. Shortly after he secured a berth as steward on the American liner Pacific.

CORBIN GOES TO GOVERNOR'S ISLAND

Roosevelt Directs Assignment in Accordance with the General's Wishes and a Recognition of His Army Services.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Major-General Corbin, Adjutant-General of the army, is to be assigned to the command of the Department of the East, with headquarters at Governor's Island, New York.

The order for Gen. Corbin to assume command of this Department will take effect at once and it states that he is given command of the largest Department in the United States in recognition of his services as Adjutant-General during the Spanish war and the Chinese and Philippine campaigns.

An order also has been prepared in the War Department directing Gen. Chaffee, now commanding the Department of the West, to take station in the War Department for the purpose of familiarizing himself with the duties of Chief of Staff, which he will become when Gen. Young retires in January.

In explanation of the transfer of these two officers Gen. S. B. M. Young, Chief of Staff, to-day issued the following statement:

"With a view to enabling Major-General Chaffee to become familiar with the duties vested by law in the Chief of Staff and to ascertain the present condition of the military establishment before entering upon his active performance, the President has directed that he be ordered to duty in the War Department as assistant to the Chief of Staff and that Major-General Corbin be assigned to command of the Department of the East."

HUNT FOR RUNAWAY BOYS.

Youngsters Believed to Have Come Here on a Wheel.

William A. Vogel, of No. 227 West Broadway street, went to West Headquarters to-day and asked the police to send out a general alarm for his two stepsons, Clifford Russell, sixteen years old, and Malcolm Russell, fourteen years old, who ran away from their home in New York City.

Believed to have come here on a wheel, the boys left home two weeks ago and have not been seen since. They were last seen at the New York City Hotel, where they were on a pleasure trip.

BOY STOLE FROM EMPLOYER.

Got Away with \$223 and Took Flight to Stamford.

Word was received at Police Headquarters this afternoon that the police of Stamford, Conn., had arrested Egbert Heath, fifteen years old, of No. 49 West Forty-fourth street, and Edward Gordon, seventeen years old, of No. 49 West Forty-fourth street, acting upon a general alarm sent out from New York.

Young Heath had been an office boy for the baking firm of Besse & Bernhardt, of No. 30 Greenwich street, a few days ago. He stole \$223 from the safe. He invited his friend Gordon to help him spend it and the pair went to Stamford. They had succeeded in spending over \$100 in three days.

BOY FELL IN SUBWAY.

Climbed Fence After School and Got a Fractured Skull.

Walter Palmer, six years old, of No. 108 West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, fell into the subway excavation in front of Public School No. 80, at One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Lenox avenue, this afternoon and received a fracture of the skull.

After school the child went to make a short cut home, climbed a six-foot high fence at the edge of the subway, which is the subway deep in front of the school. He climbed the fence all right, but on the other side missed his footing and fell. There is slight chance of his recovery.

TWO INDIANS BREAK LOOSE.

The police of the West Thirtieth street station have been asked to look for two Indians who wandered away from the Madison Square Garden to-day. One is described as being 6 feet in height, and the other 5 feet 10 inches.

"SKAT" IS HONORED.

BERLIN, Oct. 2.—A fountain has been erected at Altenburg, capital of the Duchy of Saxe-Altenburg, to-day, to honor the historical fact that "Skat," the national card game of Germany, was invented there by a lawyer named Kemper in 1820.

TWO GALLONS A DAY, NEVER GOT DRUNK

Grocer Who Made an Alcoholic Liquor Held. Nevertheless, on a Charge of Moonshining on a Large Scale.

Pablo Lonchesi—a grocer by business, but as a violator of law, a moonshiner—was held in \$1,000 bail to-day by Magistrate Flammer, for selling alcoholic liquor of his own manufacture without a license.

"It's not liquor, your Honor," pleaded Lonchesi. "It's just juice of the good grape."

Detective Perkins, who made the arrest, said it was the "real thing full of alcohol." J. L. Riley, assistant chemist of the Board of Health, was on hand to testify to the alcoholic properties of the "liquor." He said it had 10 percent alcohol in it. He made a careful chemical examination.

Lonchesi then introduced two of his friends who many a time and oft had partaken of the stuff in large doses and never once did they know that they were intoxicated. One of them said that he drank at least two gallons of it a day and never was befuddled. The other said that even three gallons wouldn't faze him.

When the Magistrate was informed by the scientific man present that beer was only 6 percent alcohol, he asked the witnesses if they could stand two gallons of beer a day. As that was not their national drink, they didn't think the question a fair one.

Lonchesi said his manufacture at 90 cents a gallon. "And it is cheap at that," he said. "For it is the good juice of the good grape."

FROM PRESIDENT TO KING.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—President Roosevelt received a call from R. P. Skinner, United States Consul at Marcellus, Consol Skinner will leave shortly for Abyssinia, where he will meet and confer with King Menelik in an effort to establish favorable trade relations between the United States and that rich country.

SAYS SHE IS WIFE OF LAWYER YOUNG

Much Married Attorney, Who Has Figured Extensively in Divorce Courts, Claimed by a Wealthy Guest of Waldorf.

On the heels of the denial of the report that Alexander C. Young, a lawyer, who less than a year ago, was divorced from a niece of the late War of McAllester is to marry Blanche Molinoux comes the announcement that he was married on Jan. 20 last to Miss Anna Trommel, a wealthy and beautiful young widow of Vineland, N. J.

This announcement came when Mrs. Young (she is the lady to claim the rack to the name applied to Justice Seymour, of Hoboken, to-day) a copy of her marriage certificate, asserting that Mr. Young had assailed her character by declaring that he had never been married to her.

As far as Justice Seymour could learn from her she left Lawyer Young last March and went to Europe. Two weeks ago she returned and is now at the Waldorf-Astoria. After her return she heard that Young had ridiculed the report of being married to her and had made remarks that aroused her intense indignation. Thereupon she immediately applied to Justice Seymour for a divorce.

Justice Seymour had ever taken place. Other things he said were of the character that had aroused the indignation of the young woman who called upon Justice Seymour for her marriage certificate.

At the third Mrs. Young belongs to one of the wealthy families of Vineland, N. J., and it is said that she is the widow of a distinguished nobleman. She has long been known in Vineland as Countess.

Justice Seymour said to an Evening World reporter this afternoon: "I performed the marriage ceremony at 12 o'clock at night at my home on Washington terrace, Hoboken. After the ceremony I went to Duke's Hotel with Mr. and Mrs. Young and we had several bottles of wine to celebrate the occasion. I have long been a friend of Mr. Young and would not have said anything publicly about this marriage had he not denied it."

FRED GIBBS'S WILL UP FOR PROBATE

Politician Leaves \$30,000 Trust Fund to Each of Two Sons and Residue of Estate Is to Go to the Widow.

The will of the late Frederick S. Gibbs was filed for probate to-day. The petition states that the value of the real estate is unknown and the personal property is more than \$10,000.

The will is dated May 5, 1901, and creates a trust fund of \$30,000 each for the two sons, Gordon Meade Gibbs and Douglas Seymour Gibbs, now under fourteen years of age. They shall enjoy one-half of the income until they become twenty-one years of age, and after that the whole income, one-half of the principal goes to each at the age of twenty-five and the remainder at thirty. To the sons also is left the jewelry of the testator.

All paintings and art books the trustees are directed to sell within five years and from the proceeds to give \$500 to his sister, Florence J. Cole, and \$500 each to her two children.

To Julia G. Kennally, daughter by his first wife, is left \$5,000 and such life insurance, if any, as may be in her name or the name of her deceased mother.

If the library belonging to the deceased is sold, he directs that the income shall be divided between his widow and her two sons. If any of the legatees contest the will they are to lose their share.

The residue of the estate is left to the widow, Daisy Meade Gibbs, and she and the Morton Trust Company are appointed executors and trustees.

SILVER BULLION'S RECORD.

Silver bullion for Philippine coinage brought a record price yesterday. The Treasury Department paid \$9.90 cents an ounce for the bullion delivered at San Francisco. The strength of silver bullion and the steady purchases by the United States, has helped the stocks of the American Smelter Company.

ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR A GOOD STOMACH.

Mr. Rockefeller's Offer Should Be a Warning to Every Man and Woman.

The newspapers and medical journals recently have had much to say relative to John D. Rockefeller's offer of a million dollars for a new stomach. This great multi-millionaire was too busy to worry about the condition of his stomach. He allowed his dyspepsia to run from bad to worse, until in the end it became incurable.

His misfortune serves as a warning to others.

Every one who suffers with dyspepsia for a few years will give everything he owns for a new stomach.

There are twenty million men and women suffering with dyspepsia—twenty million men and women whose stomachs are wearing out.

There are no new stomachs for sale at any price.

We offer these sufferers the next best thing. We guarantee to make their old stomachs almost as good as new.

Dyspepsia is caused by an abnormal state of the gastric juices. There is one element missing. The absence of this destroys the function of the gastric fluids. They lose their power to digest food.

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J. Jungman, Druggist, 1020 3d Ave.; 429 Columbus Ave.

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AT \$2.95—SPECIAL SALE OF 200 BOYS' DOUBLE-BREADED ALL-WOOL BLUE CHEVIOT SUITS—THAT ARE WORTH \$4—OUR SPECIAL PRICE IS \$2.95.

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The hundreds of different patterns, the snappy style of our Boys' Clothing, would mean nothing if the clothes were not made as they are—the fabrics are strong and will stand any amount of hard wear—every seam is taped, pockets are reinforced, buttons sewn on firmly, made as Vogel Brothers' clothes for boys have been made for the past 45 years—so different from the ordinary kind of clothing. Double-Breasted Suits, ages 7 to 15. Prices \$2.95 to \$8.50. Norfolk Suits, ages 6 to 14, \$2.95 to \$8.50.

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If you want the little fellow to look at his best, buy him a Vogel Brothers' Russian Blouse Suit. The bloomer pants, the belt around the waist, give him a soldierly look especially becoming. Prices range from \$3.95 to \$7.95.

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The Sailor Suits are for boys ages 3 to 10 years. Some are made plain, others elaborately trimmed with rows of soutache brand and embroidery, but they're all made right—from the cheapest suit at \$1.95 to the finest sailor suit at \$7.95.

AT \$4.95—SPECIAL SALE OF BOYS' 3-PIECE VEST SUITS, MADE OF BLUE CHEVIOT—SUITS WORTH \$6.50—AT THE SPECIAL PRICE \$4.95.

The Vest Suit is growing in favor, with big boys wearing knee pants—our Vest Suits for boys are made with a style and finish that is not found in ordinary boys' clothes—bright, boyish fabrics and also plain blue and black. Prices range from \$4.95 to \$12.00.

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All of the above our regular \$4.00 values.

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